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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
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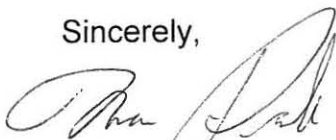
Ms. Dortch,

As an owner of a private real-estate firm in Southern California, I understand appreciate the need for sustained economic growth. This is why I write in support of LightSquared's efforts to launch a nationwide 4G-LTE broadband wireless network in my neighborhood in Los Angeles County. This network represents a rare opportunity to increase the amount of spectrum assigned to broadband wireless, a crucial goal of our National Broadband Plan. In an environment where jobs are scarce, many in my community need jobs and opportunities to grow their business. As an employer that wants to grow our economy, I depend on companies growing and using technology. This project is not only about technology, it is about keeping food on the tables of families.

LightSquared's integrated satellite-terrestrial network will keep American growing and greatly increase access to wireless broadband for the 26 million Americans who lack it, particularly in rural and suburban areas. I urge you to do the same and keep this project growing and getting it going. The company is a long-standing satellite communications provider to the public safety and homeland security community, and the new network's ability to reach remote areas and provide seamless secure connectivity will be of great benefit to first responders, healthcare workers and emergency response personnel.

If could add more to make sure you supported this initiative I would. Please move forward with this project and help us get our economy growing and people employed.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Mario Padilla', is written over the printed name and title.

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